CORRESPONDENCE FILE

File No. PWD 218 B 95

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT

Department of PWD

Section Major Irrigation

Subject :— Letter addressed to the Chief Engineer Shivamogga Cauvery Survey Div. Shivamogga :—

MYSORE GOVT. SECRETARIAT
NO. 4814
19 JUL 1957
PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

12-7-1957
at 12 noon
PWD 218 BMP57

Chief Minister of Mysore
"Vidhana Soudha"
Bangalore

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MINISTER
No. P 2165
Date.....

RECEIVED
Date 18 JUL 57
PUBLIC WORKS & ELEC. DEPTT.

Dear Sir,

I have misappropriated the Govt funds up to Rs 1200=00 in the office of the Executive Engineer, No 9 Survey and Designs Division, Thiptaranje by Chennagiri Taluk (Tunga Bhadra Valley circle) the Cashier of that office not

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
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an intention to misappropriate even for my purpose. One Contractor before passing this Bill in our office Came and tempted me with necessary promises. Thinking that he is a reliable person because he is

having cast of his own;
is a Jentleman I have
Rs 3000/- on condition that he
should return the amount on
the day of the cheque is written
in favour for the work done by him
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by telling that he has not at all
received the amount from me.
I has no authority for having paid
the amount and I could not
expose this fact to any body. Hence
I left my Head quarters without permission
of my offir and decided to drown
in the sea here. out of Rs 3000/-
I paid to Contractor; I collected about
Rs 2000/- by selling golden chains of

my wife ~~for~~ and withdrawing money that was saved by me out of my 10½ years of Service and also obtaining ~~x~~ Loan from some of my relatives But I was not able to collect another Rs 1000/- ~~x~~ New I borrowed Rs1000/- at Savanur After Century the amount on the last day of the month by my office, I have returned the amount that I was borrowed at Savanur and from my relatives. Here by the Total Final Shortage was about Rs 1200/= No body is Responsible for this except myself. My office did not know that I have played like this. He was too kind

not only to me to all the staff members. But I die hastily at the end which forced me to drown in the sea. I am leaving behind my wife aged only 22 years and a child of 15 days. I became a father after 8 1/2 years of my marriage. and I have dreamt ~~that~~ a dream about 4 days back that my child is as prince of some country. But I am not in a position to see his future. I made him orphan I left nothing to my wife except this child. I donot know How she will protect this child with out any thing. Her hands are empty

I have requested my office to adjust the Govt Funds (Shortage of Rs 1200=00 out of my Insurance) (public Branch). He was too kind to all the Staff Members. There is nothing to blame him in any way in this respect. I must thankful to him for having treated me not only as his official as one of his Son. I myself is Responsible for my death which will take place with in an hour of this letter is post in this place.

This is for kind information of the Govt of Mysore.

Thanking you Sir.

Yours Sincerely

B. Sharanappa

12/7/57

By Regd Letter Post.

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K.B.MURARAPPA, B.E.,
Asst. Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

Mysore Government Secretariat,
Vidhana Soudha,
Bangalore. 19th July 1957.

No PWD 218 BGS 57.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to enclose herewith a letter of Sri I.C. Sharanappa, cashier of your office addressed to the Chief Minister of Mysore, Bangalore, in original (5 pages) for your information and for forwarding an immediate detailed report in the matter referred to therein. The original letter may be returned along with the report. The matter may be treated as extremely urgent.

Yours sincerely,

19.7.57

Shri A.B.Ramanand, B.E.,
Executive Engineer,
No.9 Surveys and Designs Division,
Thyavanige,
Chennagiri Taluk.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE P.W.D.

Sri A. B. Ramanand, B.E.,
Executive Engineer,
No. 9 Survey & Designs Division,

Thyavanige,
Chennagiri Taluk (Shimoga Dist.)

D. O. No. 34
Encls: four sketches (4)
misc 20/7

Dated 20th July 1957.

Dear ~~Sir~~/Sri. Murarappa,

Your kind letter dated 19th July 1957 enclosing the letter of Sri B.C. Sharanappa, I am to enclose herewith the reports sent to Superintending Engineer, Tunga Bhadra Valley Circle and Accountant General which gives the details of action taken by me. I am herewith enclosing a copy of a letter written by him to the Executive Engineer for reference. The actual shortage is Rs.1,204-77 N.P only and the cheque of Sri Arjun Singh is missing.

I have also enclosed a letter addressed to the Police for information.

Original letter enclosed in your D.O. letter is herewith returned.

Yours sincerely,

A. B. Ramanand
20/7

Sri K.B. Mururappa, B.E.,
Asst.Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Vidhana Soudha,
BANGALORE-1

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Letter No.M.T.533 dated 18-7-57 from the Executive Engineer, Survey & Designs Dn.Thyavanige to the Superintending Engineer Tungabhadra Valley Circle.

Sub:- Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier of this Division misappropriation of Government funds.

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Sri Arjun Singh, Contractor came to take his cheque No.430745 dated 30-6-57 for Rs.4,341-44 N.P. There is no record to show that this cheque has been handed over to the party. The Bank of Mysore, Davangere is requested in this office No.M.T.358 dated 18-7-1957 to withhold payment for this cheque .

It is found in the Encashment Register of salaries that a Supplemental Bill presented to the Treasury was not paid. The Treasury Officer has not certified in the book. I have addressed to-day a letter to this Treasury asking for the correct situation.

The Plice is also informed of the situation. I am herewith enclosed the following for kind information and needful action.

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action.

1.A copy of the letter addressed by Sri B.G.Sharanappa.
2. -do- to Treasury by Executive Engr.
3. -do- to the Bank by -do-
4. A copy of letter addressed to the Police by -do-

I request kind instruction in thematter with further action to be taken. I am sending a copy of this letter to the Accountant General, Bangalore for information.

Memo No.ATT.534 dated 18-7-1957.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Accountant General, Bangalore for kind information.

Sd/ A.B.Ramanand,
Executive Engineer,
Survey & Desions Dn.

"Copy"

A.B.Ramanand
20/7

Executive Engineer,
Survey & Desions Dn.

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Letter No.M.T.541/3 dated 18-7-57 from the Executive Engineer Survey & Designs Division, Thyavanige to the Sub Inspector of Police Santhebennur.

Re: Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier of this Division.

With reference to the above, I write to inform you that the above official who is the cashier of this Division is absconding. He has left the Head Quarters on 9th evening leaving the key on the Accountants table as stated by the Accountant. I was away at Bangalore on important official work during this period. He was expected to return to duty next day. He did not return. But, a letter was received on 15-7-1957 from him. (Copy of which is enclosed.) He has written a letter from Hampanakatte to say that he misused the Government Funds to an extent of Rs 1200/-. The cash was checked by me soon after I returned to Head Quarters on 17-7-1957 and I found an amount of Rs.506=36 N.P. short. One Cheque in the name of Sri Arjun Singh is also missing. I will be informing you if these were to be any more difference after verifying the transactions in the treasury and Bank.

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I request you to kindly investigate the case and arrange to find out the person for further action in the matter. If you require any further information, you please do over to my Head Quarters and take necessary detail immediate action is requested.

"Copy"

A.B. Ramamurthy 20/7

Executive Engineer,
Survey & Designs Dn.

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Letter No. ST 544 dated 20-7-1957 from the Executive Engineer, Survey & Designs Division, Thyavanige to the Superintending Engineer Tungabhadra Valley Circle, B.R.P.Post.

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Sub: Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier of this Division misappropriation of Government Funds.

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In continuation of this office No.S.T.533 dated 18-7-57 I am to state as follows:

The Manager, Bank of Mysore, Davangere has replied in his No.000177 dated 19-7-1957 that the Cheque No.430745 dated is not presented to the Bank so far. A copy of the letter is enclosed for kind information.

The Treasury Officer, Davangere has replied in his No.ATC.98/57-58 dated 19-7-1957 that the supplemental Pay Bill for Rs.698-41 N.P., has been encahsed on 3-7-57. This raises the shortage to Rs.1,204-71 N.P. (Rs.698-41 N.P. + Rs 506-36 N.P.)

Sri Khalandar Khan, II Division Accounts Clerk is placed in charge of cash work from 17-7-1957. This is for kind information.

Instructions are solicted in the matter.

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Memo No. AGT 545 dated 20th July 1957.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Accountant General, Bangalore, for kind information in continuation of this office No.AGT.534 dated 18-7-1957.

59/20/7/57 Copy forwarded to the Sub Inspector of Police, Santhebennur for kind information in continuation of this office No.MT 541 dated 18-7-57.

Sd/- A.B.Ramanand,
Executive Engineer,
Survey & Designs Dn.

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"Copy"

A.B.Ramanand
Executive Engineer, 20/7
Survey & Designs Dn.

vas:20-7

Letter dated 12-7-1957 (At Noon) From Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, Executive Engineer's Office, Survey & Desions Division, Thyavanige to the Executive Engineer, Survey & Desions Division, Thyavanige.

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I am very sorry to mention that I have left the place without permission. No doubt that I am about to leave this world also within an hour after completing this last letter to you Sir. There is reason for my such decision. I have no face to expla express it. One Contractor Mr. Singh has tempted me like anything promising that he would pay the amount after the Bill is passed and taken the amount of Rs.3,000/-. I have paid the amount out of receipt which was about ₹ Rs.3,100/- on that day in the Chest subsequently. I have asked the Contractor to pay the money after going over to Bhadravathi (His residance). He told roughly on that dy day that he has not at all received the amount. I could not express this thing before anybody as it was my mistake of having paid the amount from Government Funds that too without obtaining acknowledgement. I could not solve the problem. There, I went to my place and also Chitaldrug and Hassan to arrange for money some how. By great difficulty after seeking one golden chain of my wife and also withdrawing money that I have saved from last 10 years and by taking loan from relatives, I was able to collect about Rs.2,000/-. Another one thousand was short. By great difficulty, I arranged for the amount at Davangere and returned to duty and putforth for your counting. After counting of cash by you, I had to handed over Rs.1,200/- to the people that I have borrowed. I returned it. I went on thinking to solve this problem. I could not express this thing before you as I had done this without your kind notice. I had no face even to express this fact in my house with my wife and also relatives. I was ashamed off to express these facts with my relatives and also

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friends. At last, I decided to take off my life myself. I left my place leaving my sweet heart (wife) and a child of fifteen days to this place. My child's face is never forgettable one to me even then I am making them Orphans this day afternoon. There is short of about Rs.1,200/- in all in the Chest. No doubt, about the accounts maintained everything is correct. Let Auditors veryfy. I would have informed now if there was anything wrong in maintaining the Cash Book. As far as I know, everything is correct except shortage of the sum of Rs.1,200/-.

My Dear Sir, I believed that Contractor since he has tapped me with some chips. But at the end, he deceived me. The Cheque of him is with me since it was endorsed to me by him subsequently on 1-7-1957. I was afraid of encashing the cheque without obtaining his signature to the Counterfoil of our Office Cheque Book since it was not done at the time of taking endorsement on the cheque in my favour. Hence, I destroyed the cheque also and thrown it away to the sea here.

I request your pardon for having done like this Mr. I have putforth all my History about this in detail. The rest is left to you. I am helpless now. I am leaving this world within At 45 minutes after this letter is completed. I had come here without informing my wife all these details and I had told her at the time of taking leave of her that I would be going over Thyavanige and returning day-after-tomorrow to Davangere. But, actually I have not done so. I am drowning in the sea to-day after prayer to the God. Please see there is my Insurance. You can arrange to get the Government Account forfeiting the same. I can tell you frankly that I have left nothing to my wife and the child. I do not know How they will manage to live in this world "Orphans". I do not know How my child of Fifteen days will get on.

You have believed me, thinking me as one of your son, but not as a subordinate. But, I did a mistake at the end without thinking that it would cost my life and bring bad name to you also. I acted hastily at the end with Government Funds. The final result is that I should drown in the sea thereby making my wife and child Orphans and also bringing bad name to you Sir; for which, I request your excuse. My Last Namaskaram to all Members of the official Staff of the Colony. "Nobody is responsible for my death, except myself".

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I have left Thyavanige on 9th evening after Office work with permission of the Accountant. That is the last day of my work.

By the time of receipt of this letter, I hope you will read in the newspaper about my death. I think, if at a my body is found to somebody at sea shore.

Thank you Sir.

With my best and last regards.

12-7-1957 Sd/- B.C.Sharanappa.

Jai Hind.

"Copy"

A.B. Ramamurthy 20/7

Executive Engineer,
No. 9. Bhadra Reservoir:
Right Bank, Channel Division
(Survey and Design)
Thyavanige, Chennagiri

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT B.E. Shavanappa Sahiar No 9 Survey & Designs Division Thavanige

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

Mysore Government Secretariat.

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Date of issue.....

Signed by.....

Sri. A B. Ravirend. B.E.
E.E. No 9.
Survey & Designs
Division

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To

Dear Sir,

Ref :- your ~~D.O~~ No

No. 34. dt 20th July 57

I am invited to invite reference to the letter cited and to request you to intimate better the whereabouts of Sri Savanappa Shave since been found. An immediate reply is requested in the matter.

Yrs.

24/7/57

No. 1221-1223/S

Encl. Eleven Sheets.

Office of the Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation—South,
BANGALORE.

5/8/1957

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Re: Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, of No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Bhadra Reservoir Project.

It is reported by the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, that in the afternoon of 9-7-1957, he had to accompany the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, to Bangalore, for attending the Standing Technical Advisory Committee Meeting and that in his absence, Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier of the Division, left the Head-quarters on 9-7-1957 evening without handing over charge, but leaving the key on the table of the Accountant and that since then his whereabouts are not known. The Executive Engineer, on his return from tour on 17-7-1957 found a letter addressed to him by Sri Sharanappa, confessing that he had misappropriated a sum of Rs 1,200/- out of Government cash in his custody. It is reported by the Executive Engineer, that he checked up the cash balance and found that a sum of Rs.1.204.77 N.P. was short in the aggregate. It is also reported that a cheque drawn in favour of Sri Arjun Singh, Contractor, for Rs.4,341.44 N.P. which had not been delivered to the party was found missing. The Bank of Mysore, Davangere, had however reported that the above cheque was not presented for encashment and they have been advised to stop payment on the same. The Executive Engineer, has reported the facts to the Police Authorities at Santhebennur for needful further action.

P.T.O.

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Copies of the marginally noted letters addressed to

No.ST.533 dated 18-7-1957.	the Superintending Engineer,
No.ST.544 dated 20-7-1957.	
No.ST.548 dated 20-7-1957.	Tungabhadra Valley Circle, by

the Executive Engineer and enclosures thereto are enclosed herewith for favour of perusal.

A further report will be made on receipt of additional information from the Superintending Engineer and the Executive Engineer.

In this connection, kind reference is invited to D.O. letter dated 19-7-1957 from the Assistant Secretary, P.W.D., to the Executive Engineer, No.9 Division, and his reply thereto relating to this subject.

It is not understood why the Executive Engineer, left the keys and the cheque book with the Cashier against rules. The explanation of the Executive Engineer is called for in this connection.

Yours faithfully,

(T.Ramaswamy Iyengar),
Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation-South.

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Letter No. S. 2544 dated 24th July, 1957, from the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Major Irrigation (South), Bangalore.

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Reg:- Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, Cashier of No. 9 Survey and Designs Division - Misappropriation of Government Funds.

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I write to forward herewith the marginally noted communications received from the Executive Engineer, No. 9 Survey and Designs Division, for favour of information. Further report will be submitted on receipt of the same from the Executive Engineer.

1.	No. 533	dated 18-7-1957
2.	No. 544	dated 20-7-1957
3.	No. 548	dated 20-7-1957

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(COPY)?

Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation-South.

H.J: 1-8:

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P.T.O.

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With my best and last regards.

12-7-1957. Sd/- B.C. Sharanappa.

" Jai Hind "

(COPY)

Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

Letter No. MT 533/57 dated 18th July 1957 from the Executive Engineer, Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, to the Treasury Officer, Davangere Taluk Treasury, Davangere.

Regarding Supplemental Pay Bill No. 64 for the month of June 1957 for Rs. 696.41 NP.

With reference to the above, I write to state that the above Bill was presented for payment on 29-6-1957 which is not yet received encased. It is found in the encashment Register that the Treasury Officer has not signed in the encashment Register to indicate payment made. As the Cashier did not turn up for duty till this day, I request you kindly to intimate whether the above bill is encahsed or not. This matter may be replied on top priority basis.

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Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

Letter No. MT 358 dated 18-7-1957 from the Executive Engineer, No. 9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, to the Manager, Bank of Mysore, Limited, Davangere.

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Regarding Cheque No. 430745 dated 30th June 1957.

With reference to the above, I write to inform you that the above Cheque No. 430745 dated 30th June 1957 for Rs. 4,341.44 NP in favour of Sri. S.B. Arjun Singh is missing. Please dont honour the above cheque if received for encashment. The non-payment of certificate may be furnished immediately.

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(COPY)

Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

Letter No. MT 541/d dated 18-7-1957 from the Executive Engineer Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, to the Sub Inspector of Police, Santhebennur.

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Major Irrigation - South.

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In continuation of this office No. ST 533 dated 18th July 1957, I am to state as follows:

The Manager, Bank of Mysore, Davangere, has replied in his No. 000177 dated 19-7-1957 that the Cheque No. 430745 is not presented to the Bank so far. A copy of the letter is enclosed for kind information.

The Treasury Officer, Davangere has replied in his No. ATC 98/57-58 dated 19-7-1957 that the supplemental Pay Bill for Rs. 698.41 NP. has been encashed on 3-7-1957. This raises the shortage to Rs. 1,204.71 NP. (Rs. 698.41 nP) + Rs. 506.36 NP).

Sri. Khalandar Khan, 2nd Division Accounts Clerk is placed in charge of Cash Works from 17-7-1957. This is for kind information.

Instructions are solicited in the matter.

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Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

Reference No. BBA 000177 dated 19-7-1957, from the Manager, The Bank of Mysore, Limited, Davangere Branch, Davangere, to the Executive Engineer, No. 9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige.

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We acknowledge receipt of your letter No. MT 538 of the 18th instant stating the Cheque No. 430745 dated 30-6-1957 for Rs. 4,341.44 drawn in favour of Sri S.B. Arjun Singh is reported lost. The cheque in question has not so far been presented to us for payment and as desired by you we have registered stop payment in our books.

The Bank will not hold itself responsible should however the cheque is paid in the usual course of business owing to pressure of work or otherwise.

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Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

D.O. Letter No. CT 547 (5 Encl) dated 20th July 1957, from Sri. A.B. Ramanand, B.E., Executive Engineer, No. 9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, to Sri. K.B. Murarappa, B.E., Assistant Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore - 1.

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Your kind letter dated 19th July 1957 enclosing the letter of Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, I am to enclose herewith the reports sent to the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle and Accountant General, which gives the details of action taken by me. I am herewith enclosing a copy of a letter written by him to the Executive Engineer for reference. The actual shortage is Rs. 1,204.77 NP only and the Cheque of Sri. Arjun Singh is missing.

I have also enclosed a letter addressed to the Police for information.

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Memo No. ST 548/one. Dated 20th July 1957.

Copy of the above is submitted to the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, BRP Post, for kind information. The letter of Sri. B.C. Sharanappa addressed to the Chief Minister is also enclosed.

Sd/- A.B. Ramanand,
Executive Engineer,
Survey and Designs Division.

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(COPIES)

Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South.

H.J: 1-8:

Letter dated 12-7-1957 from Sri. B.C. Shananappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, (At Noon) to the Chief Minister of Mysore, "Vidhana Soudha", Bangalore.

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I have misappropriated the Government Funds up to Rs. 1,200/- in the Office of the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, Channagiri Taluk (Tungabhadra Valley Circle) being the Cashier of that Office not with an intention to misappropriate not even for my purpose. One Contractor before passing this Bill in our office came and tempted me with unnecessary promises. Thinking that he is a veliable person becuase he is having car of his own, thinking he is a gentleman I have paid Rs. 3,000/- on condition that he should return the amount on the day of the cheque is written i.e., 30-6-1957 in favour for the work done by him. But, he dooped me in the end by telling that he has not at all redeived the amount from me. I had not authority for having paid the amount and I could not express this fact to any body. Hence, I left my Headquarters without permission of my Officer and decided to drown in the sea here. Out of Rs. 3,000/- I paid to Contractor, I collected about Rs. 2,000/- by seeking golden chain of my wife and withdrawing money that was saved by me out of my 10½ years of service and also obtaining loan from some of my relatives. But, I was not able to collect another Rs. 1,000/- at Davangere. Then I borrowed Rs. 1,000/- After counting the amount on the last day of the month by my Officer, I have returned the amount that I was borrowed at Davangere and from my relatives. Thereby the total and final shortage was about Rs. 1,200/-.

No body is responsible for this except myself. My Officer did not know that I have played like this. He was too kind not only to me to all the staff members. But, I acted hastily at the end which forced me to drown in the sea. I am leaving behind my wife aged 22 years and a child of 15 days. I became a father after 8½ years of my marriage and I have dreamt a dream also about four days back that my child is a-s prince of some country. But, I am not in a position to see his future. I made him Orphan. I left nothing to my wife except this child. I do not know how she will protect this child

child without anything. Her hands are empty.

I have requested my officer to adjust the Government funds (shortage of Rs. 1,200/- out of my Insurance) (Public Branch). He was too kind to all the Staff Members. There is nothing to blame him in any way in this respect. I must be thankful to him for having treated me not only as his official as one of his son. I myself is responsible for my death which will take place within an hour of this letter is posted in this place.

This is for kind information of the Government of Mysore.

Thanking you, Sir;

Yours Sincerely,

Dated 12-7-1957. Sd/-B.C. Sharanappa.

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Chief Engineer,

H.J: 2-8: Major Irrigation - South.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE P.W.D.

Sri A. B. Ramanand, B.E.,
Executive Engineer,
No. 9 Survey & Designs Division,
Thyavanige,
Chennagiri Taluk (Shimoga Dt.)

MYSORE GOVERNMENT
NO. 5321
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PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION

D.O. No. 39 Date 6/8/15

Dear ~~Sir~~/Sri. Muraroppa

Reg:- Sri B.C. Shanaroppa Cashier No. 9 Survey and Designs Division Thyavanige

Ref:- your D.O No P.W.D 218 B.R.P 5) Dated 30th July 195)

with reference to the above I write to inform you that I have not heard any thing from the police so for. I have requested the District Superintendent of police Shimoga again to let me know the present situation. After I hear from him I will be writting to you.

yours Sincerely.

A.B. Ramanand
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To Sri K.B. Muraroppa B.E
Assistant Secretary to Govt.
public works Department
Mysore Government Secretariat
Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore 1.

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No. 1665/S

Encls.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation—South,
BANGALORE.

Date 14th September, 1957.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT OFFICE NO. 16 SEP 1957 PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT NO. 6335 16 SEP 1957 PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

To

The Secretary to Government,

Public Works Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub:- Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, cashier, No. 9 Survey Division Bhadra Reservoir Project.

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In continuation of this office letter No. 1221-2/S dated 5-8-1957, on the above subject, I write to forward herewith, for the information of Government a copy of letter No. I.C. 296/57 dated 26-8-1957, from the District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga, to the Executive Engineer, No. 9 Survey and Design Division, Thyavanige, which discloses that Sri. B.C. Sharanappa has not committed suicide, but is absconding and efforts are being made to trace him.

Yours faithfully,

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(G. Krishnaswamy)
Chief Engineer, I/C.
Major Irrigation-South.

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MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT * NO... 6251 17 SEP 19** PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

TO GOVERNMENT No.533 Date..... 19 PUBLIC WORKS & BLDG. BRANCH

The Executive Engineer,
[illegible] Circle,
[illegible] Major Project.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT NO.... 1205 PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

Sir,

Sub: Forwarding of Government Copy by Sri. D.C.Channappa [illegible] Overseer of this Division.

With reference to the above, I write to state that the request of Sri. D.C.Channappa [illegible] received in this office Lr.No. 533 dated 18/2/57 has been submitted to the Chief Engineer, Bangalore on 13-3-57 by Sri. D. Channabasappa, father of Sri. D.C. [illegible], [illegible] Overseer.

Sri. D.Channabasappa submitting the Medical Certificate issued by Dr.[illegible] for Sri.D.C.[illegible], has requested that the request of Sri. Channappa may be considered favourably.

Copy of the petition is herewith submitted for information.

Kindly issue orders in the matter.

Yours faithfully,
(Sd)
Executive Engineer.
[illegible] Survey & Design Division.
Bangalore.

MT No 848.52 14/9/57

Copy forwarded to:-
1) the Chief Engineer, Major Irrigation (South) for information.
2) Sri. K.B.Thimmappa, Asst. Secretary to Government, P.W.D, Vidhana Soudha
3) the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga.
4) the Accountant General, Mysore, Bangalore.
5) the District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga.
6) the Inspector of Police, Channa-giri.
7) the Sub-Inspector of Police for information.

Sanki Venkata Channaiah Setty

For Perusal

Executive Engineer. 14/9

17.9.57

Are there no previous papers? 14/9

Sri. [illegible] Asst. Engr. [illegible] Circle

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The Executive Engineer has been requested in this office No.11330 dated 10-9-1957 to obtain from the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davangere, a certificate to the effect that the cheque issued in favour of Sri. Arjun Singh, contractor, has not been paid, and will not be paid if presented. A further report will be furnished on receipt of the Executive Engineer's reply.

I request the favour of orders regarding the withdrawal of the case against Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, in the circumstances mentioned above.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT NO. MIS 20 SEP 1957 PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

Yours faithfully,

msl/19-9.(2503)

Sd/- (R.L. Raju)
Superintending Engineer,
Tungabhadra Valley Circle.

Memo No. S.378 2-00 2 cs BRP Post, dated the 19th September 1957.

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Secretary to Government of Mysore, Public Works Department, Bangalore, for information.

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MYSORE GOVERNMENT NO. 6459 25 PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BR

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(R.L. Raju)
Superintending Engineer,
Tungabhadra Valley Circle.

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MYSORE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No.....3781.....
Encls.

Office of the Superintending Engineer,
Tungabhadra Valley Circle,
B.R.P. Post, dated the 19th September 1957.

To

The Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation, South,
Post Box No.41, Bangalore-1.

Sir,

Regarding Misappropriation of Government money by Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, Ex: Cashier, No.9 Survey and Designs Division.

With reference to the above, I write to enclose herewith, for information, a copy of letter No.894 dated 14-9-1957 along with the application of Sri. B. Channabasappa, received from the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division and to state that Sri. B. Channabasappa, father of Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, Ex: Cashier has remitted the sum of Rs.1,204.77 to the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davangere and produced the Chellan, towards the amount misappropriated, and has prayed that the case against his son may be withdrawn. The Government money misappropriated has been recovered and I recommend for sympathetic consideration and orders for the prayer of Sri. B. Channabasappa for withdrawal of the Police case against his son. According to the latest Government Circular No. GAD/8441/Ani./57 dated 3rd September 1957, any case launched for a criminal offence cannot be withdrawn without orders from Government. In this case, the party needs some sympathetic consideration and as such, the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, may kindly be addressed to request the Law Secretary to Government to examine this case sympathetically and issue orders to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, for withdrawal of the case. I am of opinion that Departmental proceedings may be instituted against the official and suitable disciplinary action taken to impose punishment. On receipt of orders, needful action will be taken in this behalf.

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Letter No. ST 894/1 dated 14-9-1957, from the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, to the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, BRP Post.

Regarding misappropriation of Government money by Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, Ex: Cashier of this Division.

With reference to the above, I write to state that the amount of Rs.1,204.77 misappropriated by Sri. B.C. Sharanappa as reported in this office No.533 dated 18-7-1957 has been remitted to the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davangere, on 13-9-1957 bySri. B. Channabasappa, father of Sri. B.C. Sharanappa, Ex: Cashier.

Sri. B. Channabasappa, enclosing the Chellan No.9 of the Mysore Bank for Rs.1,204.77, has represented that the case of Sri. Sharanappa may be considered favourably.

Copy of the petition is herewith submitted for kind information.

Request kind instructions in the matter.

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Superintending Engineer, 14/9/57
Tungabhadra Valley Circle.

msl/19-9.

To
The Executive Engineer,
NO9. Division
Tiptur

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ತಾಲೂಕಾಪಂಚಾಯತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಉದ್ಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಹೊಳ್ಳಕ್ಕ ಬಾಗಿ ಇವನ್ನ ಬಿನಕ್ಕು ನು ಬಂಧಿಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡ ಮನವಿ. ಅದಾಗಿ

ಈಗಕಲಿಯುಕಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಕೆಲ್ಸವನ್ನು ಅರ್ಧಂಬರ್ಧ ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಕ್ಯಾಷಿಂಗು ತೆಗೆದು ಕೆಲ್ಸವೂ ಹುಂಟ್ಟಾಗಿ ನನ್ನವುಗೆ ದಿ.ಇ. ಶರಣಾಪ್ಪನು ಕೂ/12009-ತುರುವಿನಕೊಳಗ ಮುಡಿರುಂಪೈಪು ಸರಿಯಿಲ್ಲ ಗಟರಿಯಲ್ಲಿರವನು ಜೋಡಿಮಾಡಿಯೂವಾಗಲು ಇಂಥವು ಅಂಚಿಪುಯರ್ಜಿಸ್ಟಿಪನ್ನು ಮಾಡಬಹುದೆನು ಈಂಟಿಮಾಡಿರುವುದು ನಮಗೆಲ್ಲಾ ತಲೆಬಾಗಿ ಆಯಿಂತಿ ಆಗಿದೆ. ಶಿಷ್ಟರಿಕ್ಕೂ ಅಚಾರವಿಯೂವಾಗಿ ಬಳ್ಳು ವನ್ನು ಅಳತುಮೋಸಂಡು ಮುಸೋದ ದುರ್ಬಲಜಿಂಥ ಮೂಡಿಸ್ಥಾಗಿರುತ್ತೆಂದು ನಾವು ಭಾವಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಕ್ಕಾಗಿ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ನಾವು ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರಯೋಗವನ್ನು ಮುಸ್ತು ಮಾಡಿಸಿಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಚೆಕ್ಕು 1204-77 ನಯಾ ಪೈಸೆ ಗಳನ್ನು ಈಡಿಸ್ಪಾವಣೆಗಳಿಂದ ಬಿಡಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಪ್ರೋನಾರು ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನಿ ಜಮಾಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಅಬಗ್ಗೆ ನಮಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟ ರಸೀದಿಯನ್ನು ಜೆರಾಕ್ಸು ಪ್ರತಿ ನನ್ನು ಇಪರುಡಿಸಿ ಲಗತ್ತು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ತಿಪಸ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಿ ಗಣ್ಯಾಪ ಪೆಲ್ಲು ವೃದ್ಧಾಪ ನನ್ನ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ಪೂರ್ತಿ ನನ್ನ ಕೈಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪೂರ್ತಿಕ ಬಿಲ್ಲು ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಈ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಗಟ್ಟಿಕಿಂತಿಯನ್ನು ಹಿಂತಿರುಗಿಸಿ ಸಹಾಯ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಸನ್ನ ಲಬ್ಧಾತಯುಕ್ತರಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಕರಂ ಪಸ್ತು ಮಿಂಬಲಗು ಜಲಸ್ಥ ವಿಸಿಂಬಪ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಸ್ಥಳಮೊಗ್ಗ ಇಸ್ಪೆಕ್ಟರ್ ಪಡೆ ಪ್ರೈಚಿ ಕೆಮಿಲ್ಲಗಳಕ್ಕಪರಂಗಾ. ಡಿ ಕ್ಲಾ.ನಿ.ರ ಪರಿಗಾ ಮುಂಕ್ಕು ನು ಪ್ರಯಿಂ ಬೇಂಬ ಕಪಟಂಗಾ ಪಾಲುಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಿ ನನ್ನ ಮುಗನ ಮೇಲಿರುವ ಕೇಸನ್ನು ವಾದಿಸಿ ಗೆಲ್ಲಿಸಿಯೂವಂತೆ ಕೇಸಿನ್ನು ವಾದಿಸಿ ಗೆಲ್ಲಿಸಿಕೊಟ್ಟ ಪಂಕೆ ಕೃತಜ್ಞತೆ ಮಾಡುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ಅವನು ಮಾಡಿಸಿದ ಅಂಬಾರಾಧಕ್ಕೆ ಪಿಟ್ಟಿಸಿದೆ. ಮೇಂಟಿವೆ ಮಾಡುವಲ್ಲಿ ಶೆಡ್ಡಿವಿಧಿನಿ ಗಟರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮನಸಿ ನೀರುಬರ್ಬಿಡಿಯಿಲ್ಲ ಬಿದ್ದ ಜಾಗವನ್ನು ಪಿಯಸ್ಥಿ ಯುಗ್ಗ ಕಲ್ಪಿಸಿಕೊಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ

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No. 1833-34/S
Encl. I.C.L

Office of the Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation - South,
Bangalore, Dated 8th Octr.'57.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
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PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. 6267
9-OCT 1957
PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

Re: Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri B.C. Sharanappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey Division, B.R.P.

In continuation of this office letter No.1665/S dated 14-9-1957 on the above subject, I write to forward herewith a copy of letter No.C.T.No.896 dated 14-9-1957 received from the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, reporting that the amount of Rs.1204-77 N.P. misappropriated by Sri B.C. Sharanappa, Clerk, has been remitted by Sri B.Channabasappa, father of Sri B.C.Sharanappa, to the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davangere, on 13-9-1957.

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Yours faithfully,

(C.R.Krishnaswamy Mudaliar),
Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation-South.

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To

The Superintending Engineer,
T.B.V.Circle,
Bhadra River Project.

Sir,

Re: Misappropriation of Govt. Money by Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Ex-Cashier of this Division.

With reference to the above, I write to state that the amount of Rs.1204-77 misappropriated by Sri B.C. Sharanappa, as reported in this office No.533 dated 18-7-1957 has been remitted to the Bank of Mysore Ltd., Davangere, on 13-9-1957 by Sri B.Channabasappa, father of Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Ex-Cashier.

Sri B.Channabasappa, enclosing the Challan No.9 of the Mysore Bank for Rs.1204-77, has represented that the case of Sri Sharanappa may be considered favourably.

Copy of the petition is herewith submitted for kind information.

Request kind instructions in the matter.

Memo No.C.T.No.896 Dated 14-9-1957.

Copy submitted to the Chief Engineer, M.I.South, B'lore, for information.

Sd.
For Executive Engineer.
No.9 Survey and Designs Dvn.

"Copy"

M. Anantharao
For Chief Engineer, M.I.S. 17.9.1957

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ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಕ್ಕೆ

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ಸ್ವಾಮಿ.

ಚನ್ನಗಿರಿ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ನೈಚಹಳ್ಳಿಯ ಟನಲ್ ಡಿವಿಜನ್ ಎಕ್ಸಿಕ್ಯುಟೀವ್ ಇಂಜನಿಯರವರ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಯಾಮಿಯರ್ ಆಗಿ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದ ನನ್ನ ಮೇಸ್ತ್ರಿ B. ಬರಮಪ್ಪನು ಸುಮಾರು 1200/- ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ದುರುಪಯೋಗ ಪಡಿಸಿ ತಲೆಮರೆಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವುದು ನಿಮಗೆ ತಿಳಿದೇ ಇದೆ. ಸದರಿ ನನ್ನ ಅಜಾಗರೂಕತೆಯಿಂದಾಗಲಿ ಇಂಥಾ ಅಪ್ರಾಮಾಣಿಕ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವುದಾಗಲಿ ಇಂಥಾ ಅಪ್ರಾಮಾಣಿಕ ಕೆಲಸಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವುದಾಗಲಿ ಈ ಅಪ್ರಾಮಾಣಿಕ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ಯಾವುದೇ ಒಂದು ಅನುಮಾನ ಪರ್ಚಲ್ಯದಿಂದ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಂದು ನಾನು ಭಾವಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೆ.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸರಮಪ್ಪನ ತಂದೆಯವರ ನಾನು ಒಡ್ಡಿ ಪ್ರಾಮಿಸರಿ ದುರುಪಯೋಗ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಮೊಬಲಗು 1204.77 ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳನ್ನು ಭಾವಗಾಗಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಮೈಸೂರು ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನ ಅವರು ಬರೆದಿರುವ ನನ್ನ ನನ್ನ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಚಲನೆ ಪತ್ರ ಮತ್ತು ಟನಲ್ ಇಂಜನಿಯರ್ ಆಫೀಸಿನ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿರುತ್ತೆ. ಚಲನೆ ನಂ. 9. ದಿ॥ 13-9-1957.

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ಮೊಳಕಾಲ್ಮುರು.
4-10-1957

Address.
B. Channabasappa,
C/o.
B. Thipperudrappa
Merchant
MOLAKALMURU.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. 6847
12 OCT
PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. [illegible]
10 OCT 1957
PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Date 11/10/57
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Office of the Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation—South,
BANGALORE.

Dated....11/10/57.)

To

The Secretary to Government,

Public Works Department, Bangalore.

Misappropriations of Government funds by Shri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey Division, Bhadra Reservoir Project.

In continuation of this office letter No.1833 dated 8-10-57 on the above subject, I write to forward herewith a copy of letter No.S.3781 dated 19-9-57 received from the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, together with the copy of the representation of Shri B.Channabasappa, father of Shri B.C.Sharanappa, reporting that the sum of Rs.1,204-77 nP misappropriated by the official was credited to the Bank of Mysore Ltd., Davangere on 13-9-57 and recommending that the prayer of Sri Channabasappa may be sympathetically considered. The Superintending Engineer has recommended that the Police case may be withdrawn and that departmental action may be taken against the official and suitable punishment meted out to him. As the loss to Government has since been made good and as the offender is a young man of about 30 years I recommend that this case may kindly be viewed sympathetically.

Draft approved by C.E.)

Yours faithfully,

11.10.

(C.R.Krishnaswamy Mudaliar),
Chief Engineer,
Major Irrigation-South.

BFM:11/10.

12.10.57

Letter No.S.3781 dated 19-9-1957 from the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Major Irrigation-South, Bangalore.

Regarding Misappropriation of Government money by Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Ex-Cashier, No.9 Survey and Designs Division.

With reference to the above, I write to enclose herewith, for information, a copy of letter No.894 dated 14-9-57 along with the application of Sri B.Channabasappa, received from the Executive Engineer, No.9 Survey and Designs Division and to state that Sri B,Channabasappa, father of Sri B C.Sharanappa, Ex-Cashier has remitted the sum of Rs.1,204.77 to the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davangere and produced the Challan, towards the amount misappropriated, and has prayed that the case against his son may be withdrawn. The Government money misappropriated has been recovered and I recommend for sympathetic consideration and orders for the prayer of Sri B. Channabasappa for withdrawal of the Police case against his son. According to the latest Government Circular No.GAD/8441/Admi/57 dated 3rd September 1957, any case launched for a criminal offence cannot be withdrawn without orders from Government. In this case, the party needs some sympathetic consideration and as such, the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, may kindly be addressed to request the Law Secretary to Government to examine this case sympathetically and issue orders to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, for withdrawal of the case. I am of opinion that Departmental proceedings may be instituted against the official and suitable disciplinary action taken to impose punishment. On receipt of orders, needful action will be taken in this behalf.

The Executive Engineer has been requested in this office No.11330 dated 10-9-57 to obtain from the Bank of Mysore Ltd., Davangere, a certificate to the effect that the cheque issued in favour of Sri Arjun Singh, Contractor, has not been paid, and will not be paid if presented. A further report will be furnished on receipt of the Executive Engineer's reply.

I request the favour of orders regarding the withdrawal of the case against Sri B.C.Sharanappa, in the circumstances mentioned above.

/Copy/

Chief Engineer, M.I. (South)

To The Executive Engineer,

NO9. Division

Thyagarajpet

Sir,

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Note:-

Sub:- Misappropriation of Govt. Funds by Shri B.C.Sharanappa, Cahier of No. 9 Survey and Designs Division - Bhadra Reservoir Project.

Shri Sharanappa was a Cashier of No. 9 Survey and Designs Division, Thavarekere, Chennegiri Taluk,. He addressed a letter (dated 12.7.57) to the Chief Minister, stating that he had misappropriated the Govt. funds upto Rs. 1200/-, in the Office of the Executive Engineer of the above Division. He further stated that he would drown in the Sea for which nobody was responsible except himself. The letter of Shri Sharanappa at pages 1 to 5 CF may also be perused. Soon after the receipt of the above letter, in this office, attempts were made to enquire his whereabouts. Subsequently the CE, Major Irrigation (S) reported that Shri Sharanappa left the Head-quarters on 9-7-1957 evening without handing over charge, but leaving the key on the table of the Accountant and since then his whereabouts are not known. The Executive Engineer, who accompanied the S.E, T.B.V. Circle for attending the STAC meeting at Bangalore, on his return from tour on 17-7-57, found a letter addressed to him by Shri Sharanappa, confessing that he had misappropriated a sum of Rs. 1200/- out of Govt. cash in his custody. It is also reported that the E.E. cheked up the cash balance and found that a sum of Rs. 1204-77 NP was short in the aggregate. It is also stated that A cheque drawn in favour of Shri Arjun Singh, Contractor for Rs. 4,341/44 NP which had not been delivered to the party was found missing. The Bank of

Mysore, Davangare, had however reported that the above cheque was not presented for encashment and they ~~have been~~ why advised to stop payment on the same. The EE is said to have reported the facts to the Police authorities at Santhebennur for ~~needful~~ further action.

Subsequently, the CE forwarded a copy of letter dated 26-8-1957 of the DSP Shimoga, addressed to the EE, stating that further enquiries have revealed that Shri Sharanappa has not committed suicide as per his letter (Sharanappa's) dated 12-7-57 addressed to the EE. ~~The Special staff was also~~ said to have been sent to Mangalore for making enquiries and it was ascertained from Sub-Inspector, Mangalore that ~~x~~ no person of the said description was found drowned at Mangalore between 12-7-57 and 27-7-57. It was also stated that The accused is absconding and efforts are being made to trace him.

Further, the CE reported that the amount of Rs. 1,204 - 77 NP misappropriated by Shri B.C. Sharanappa had been remitted by Shri B.Channabasappa, father of Shri Sharanappa to the Bank of Mysore, Ltd., Davanagere on ~~15-7-57.~~ ~~Shri~~ 13.9.57.

Shri Channabasappa , father of Shri Sharanappa has also submitted a petition to the Chief Minister requesting to consider the case sympathetically and pass orders to withdraw the case. The Chief Minister was pleased to order on the petition to put up the file.

Further the C.E. has reported that the Superintending Engineer has recommended that the Police case may be withdrawn and that departmental action may be taken against the official and suitable punishment meted out to him. The CE is of the opinion that

as the loss to Government has since been made good and the offender is a young of man of about 30 years, the case may be viewed sympathetically.

In this connection, it may be stated that according to the latest Circular No.GAD 8441/Admn. 57 dated 3rd September 1957 (copy enclosed) any case launched for a criminal effence cannot be withdrawn without the orders of the Government. Hence orders of Government are necessary for issuing instructions ~~issuing orders~~ to the IGP for withdrawal of the case.

18.10.57

K. B. MURARAPPA,
Under Secy., P. W. Dept.

Government of Mysore.

No. GAD 8441 (Admi) 57.

CIRCULAL.

It is observed by Government that in a certain case the prosecution launched against an individual was withdrawn by the Head of the Department without proper authority. Besides the Head of the Department was apparently unaware that where withdrawa involves acquittal, it is not possible in law to restart the prosecution and he later tried to prosecute the accused again. In this connection, attention is invited to Rule 39 of the Mysore Government Secretariat Instructions. It is directed that no criminal prosecutions once launched should be sought to be withdrawn without specific orders of Government. Where for any reason it is proposed to withdraw a prosecution a full report with reasons for the proposed withdrawal should be sent to the Administrative Department which will issue necessary orders in consultation with the Law Department, where the proposal leads to any difference of opinion between Departments or any question of public policy or public importance is involved, orders of Council will have to be obtained before issue of Government Orde

Sd/-

(T.R. Satish Chandran)
Deputy Secretary to Government,
General Administration Department.

To

The Secretaries to Government.

The Heads of Departments.

The Divisional Commissioners.

The Collectors and Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

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Government of Myasore.

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT Misappropriation of Govt money funds by Sri B. C. Shivamappa Cashier, of no 9 Survey and Designs Division Thyavanige Bhadra Reservoir Project.

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

Mysore Government Secretariat.

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Section

File No.

Serial No.

No. PWD 218 BRPS-) dt 29.10.57

To

Dear Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith Copies of the marginally noted letters regarding the above subject and to request you kindly to intimate whether a case has been launched and if so at what stage it is. If there any information at present about the whereabouts of Sri Shivamappa absconded through petitions are being received on his behalf

I am also to request you to intimate whether the police initiated departmental has taken or not

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Date of issue.....

Signed by.....

1) D.O. No. PT 541/d 18.7.57 from the Exe. Engr Survey & Design on Thyavanige to the Sub Inspector of police Southekennur (29cF)

2) D.O. letter No. G.C 296/57 dt 26.8.57 from the Dist Supdt of police Shimoga to the Exe Engr Survey & Design on Thyavanige (31cF)

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immediately. The matter may be treated as extremely urgent.

To

The J G P. (Bureau)

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U/S pl to.

Copy of the above is forwarded to:

(1) The Dist Supdt of police Shimoga
The C E N O (S) Bangalore
The S E T U Hebbagodi
The Dy Supdt Survey & Docks
Mr Thyagaraja

for information & suitable action.

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U/S pl to.

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Issued
29.10.97

K.B.Murarappa, B.E.,
Under Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

Mysore Government Secretariat,
Vidhanasoudha,
Bangalore, dated 29 Oct.1957.

DO.No.P.W.D. 218 BRP 57

Dear Sir,

Sub: Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri B.C. Sharanappa, Cashier of No.9 Survey and Designs Division Thyavanige - Bhadra Reservoir Project.

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I am desired to forward herewith copies of the marginally noted letters regarding the above subject and to request you kindly to intimate whether a case has been launched and if so at what stage it is. Is there any information at present about the whereabouts of Sri.Sharanappa? I am also to request you to intimate whether the Police Department has taken or initiated any action against him. A detailed report indicating the present stage at which the matter stands may kindly be forwarded immediately. The matter may be treated as extremely urgent.

1) letter No.MT 541/D dated 18-7-57 from the Executive Engineer, Survey & Design Dn. Thyavanige to the Sub Inspector of Police Santhebennur.
2) D.O.letter No.I.C.296/57 dated 26-8-57 from the Dist.Superintendent of Police, Shimoga to the Executive Engineer, Survey & Design Dn. Thyavanige.

Yours Sincerely,

Sd/-

To

Sri P.K.Monappa, I.P.S.,
Inspector General of Police,
Mysore, Bangalore.

Copy of the above is forwarded to :

1) The District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga,
2) The Chief Engineer, Major Irrigation (S) Bangalore,
3) The Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle, Lakkavalli,
4) The Executive Engineer, Survey & Design Division, Thyavanige,

for information and immediate report.

(K.B.Murarappa) 29.10.57
Under Secretary to Govt. P.W.Dept.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS
No. P-2027
19 OCT 1957
BANGALORE

From

B.Channabasappa,
Molakalmuru.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. MU
21 OCT 1957
PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

The Honourable Minister for Public Works
& Electricity, Govt. of Mysore, Bangalore.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. 2227
25 OCT 1957
PUBLIC WORKS MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

Sir,

I write to state that my son Sri B.C. Sharanappa was working as a cashier in Tyavanagi P.W.D. Office (Lakkavalli) Channel Division). About 3 and a half months ago I learnt he went some where writing letters to his superior officers that he would commit suicide as he had been duped by a contractor to the tune of about Rs1204/74 and that he was unable to reimburse this amount. I immediately searched in several places likely to be visited by him. So far his whereabouts are not known. Thinking that he may be traced if the amount is paid, I paid the entire amount, which was reported to be short in cash chest and submitted a representation to the Chief Engineer in Mysore, Bangalore, requesting him to stop further proceedings and take him on duty.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
Date 21/10/57
PUBLIC WORKS & ELEC DEPTS.

I learn that the matter is before the Government. I request the benign Government to pass early orders in the matter.

Thanking you, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Bangalore,(Camp)
D/17-10-1957

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SUBJECT Disappropriation of Govt. funds by Sri B.C. Shivaraja Cashier No. 7 Survey & Design Division Thyavanige B.R.P.

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

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Signed by.....

Section

File No.

Serial No.

No. PWD 218 BRP (1) & 8/11/57

To

Dear Sir,

Ref:- D.O No PWD 218 BRP dt 29-10-57.

Please refer to my previous demi-official letter cited regard the above Subject. I am directed to request that the report already called for may kindly be forwarded immediately.

Sri P.K. Monappa J.P.S.
D.G.P.
Bangalore.

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U/s PWD.

Copy of the above is forwarded to:-
The S.P. Shimoga
The E.E.N.D.(S) Bhadravathi
The S.E.T.V.C. Lakkavalli
The [illegible]

for necessary action

U/s PWD.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE P.W.D.

Sri A. B. Ramanand, B.E.,
Executive Engineer,
No. 9 Survey & Designs Division,
Thyavanige,
Chennagiri Taluk (Shimoga Dt.)

D. O. No. 97 Date 6/11/57

Dear ~~Sir~~/Sri. Murarappa,

Reg: Misappropriation of Govt. fun by Sri. B.C.Sharnappa, Ex-casnier.

With reference to your letter No.218 dated 29-10-57 forwarding a copy of the D.O. letter written to the Inspector General of Police and asking me to report immediately I am to state that no further information has been received from the police regarding the whereabouts of the person. The police have not intimated this office if they have taken or initiated any action against him.

Yours sincerely,

A. B. Ramanand

To

Sri K.B.Murarappa, B.E.,
Under Secretary to Govt,
Public Works Department.

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6/11/57

No.I.C.296/57. District Police Office, Shimoga,
Date: 8-11-1957.

To

The Inspector-General of Police,
Mysore State, Bangalore 2.

Sir,

Sub:- Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri B.C. Sharanappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey & Designs Division, Thyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project.

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With reference to D.O.No.PWD.218/BRP/57 dated 29-10-57 from the Under Secretary to Government, P.W.D., Bangalore, addressed to you, I write to state that a case in Cr.No.127/57 u/s 409/IPC has been registered by Santhebennur Police, Channagiri Taluk, against one Sri B.C. Sharanappa for having misappropriated the Government funds, and is under investigation. The accused B.C. Sharanappa is absconding, and his whereabouts are not known so far. However, earnest efforts are being made to apprehend him. The I.O. concerned is instructed to trace the absconding accused, and complete the investigation early.

It is further reported that the amount of Rs.1,204/-77 NP has been made good by Sri Channabasavappa, the father of the accused, and the amount has been credited to the Bank of Mysore on 13-9-57 in Challan No.9, and the father of the accused has also requested the authorities concerned to consider the case favourably.

Yours faithfully,

Sd.
(K.V.Kumaraswamy),
Dist. Supdt. of Police,
Shimoga Dt.

Kvr.

Advance copy submitted to the Under Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Mysore Government Secretariat, 'Vidhana Soudha', Bangalore 1, for kind information.

Dist. Supdt. of Police,
Shimoga Dt.

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D.O.No.P.A.358

19-12-1957
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Dear Shri. Monappa

Kindly refer to the letter of the District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga District No.I.C.296/57 dated 8-11-1957 in regard to the alleged misappropriation of Government funds by one Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, No. 9, Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project. I am to request ~~that~~, in this connection, that a copy of the final report in the case may kindly be sent to Government ~~urgently~~ if convenient.

Yours sincerely

Shri P.Monappa, I.P.,
Inspector General of Police,
BANGALORE.

D.K.Srinivasachar, I.A.S.
Secretary to Government,
P.W. & Electrical Dept.

D.O.No. P.A. 405

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
Dated Bangalore 21st January 1958

Dear Shri.Monappa,

Please refer to my D.O.No.P.A.358 dated 23rd December 1957 regarding the alleged misappropriation of Government funds by one Shri.B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project. The final report asked for therein may kindly be sent early for the information of Government.

Yours sincerely,

Shri.P.Monappa, I.P.
Inspector-General of Police,
Bangalore

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No. G.17/57

Encls.

GOVT. OF MYSORE

OFFICE OF

Office of the
Inspector General of Police,
Mysore State, Bangalore-2.

Date 30th Jan. 1958

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. PWD
31 JAN 1958
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To

The Secretary to Government,

P.W. & Electrical Dept., Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub:- Misappropriation of Govt. Funds by one Sri B.C. Sharnappa, Cashier, No. 9 Survey & Designs Division, Thyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project.

Ref:- Your D.O. letter No. P.A. 405 dated 21.1.58.

31.1.58

The investigation could not be completed as the presence of the accused was necessary and he was absconding. He has since surrendered to the court on 30.12.1957. The Dist. Superintendent of Police, Shimoga has been instructed to expedite the completion of the investigation.

Yours faithfully,

for Inspector Genl. of Police.

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D.K.Srinivasachar, I.A.S.
Secretary to Government,
P.W. & Electrical Dept.

D-O No. P-A-12

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
Dated Bangalore 11th Feb. 1958

Dear Shri.

Kindly refer to your letter No.G.17/57 dated 31st January regarding the misappropriation of Government money by one Shri.B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey & Designs Division, Thyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project. The final report called for by Government may please be sent immediately/if the investigations have since been completed and the charge sheet filed. in the case.

Yours sincerely,

D.K.

Shri.P.Monappa, I.P.
Inspector-General of Police,
Bangalore

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SECRETARIAT TO GOVT.
NO.
15 FEB 1958
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OFFICE OF
Office of the
Inspector-General of Police,
Mysore State, Bangalore-2.
Date 14/15th February 1958.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Public Works & Electrical Departments, Bangalore.

Sir,

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
NO. MH
15 FEB 1958
PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

Sub:-Misappropriation of Government funds by one Sharnappa, Cashier, No.9 Survey & Designs Division, Tyavanige, Bhadra Reservoir Project.

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Further to this office letter cited, I write to state that the investigation of the case was completed and a charge sheet was placed in the Court of the Special First Class Magistrate, Shimoga, on 4-2-1958. The case has been taken on the file in CC.No.488/58 and stands posted to 4-3-1958 for hearing.

Yours faithfully,

For Inspr.-Genl.of Police.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.
(Police Department)

From
The Inspector General of Police,
Mysore State, Bangalore.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department, B'lore.

No.G.17/57. Dated 14 November, 1957.

Sir,

Sub:- Misappropriation of Government funds by Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Cashier of No.9, Survey and Designs Division, Thyavanige - Bhadra Reservoir Project.

Ref:- D.O. Letter No.PWD.218.BRP.57, dated 29/10/57 from Sri K.B.Murarappa, B.E., Under Secretary to Government, P.W.D. and this Office interim reply of even No. dated 12/11/1957.

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The District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga reports that a case U/S 409 I.P.C. has already been registered at Santhebennur Police against Sri B.C.Sharanappa for having misappropriated the Government funds and is under investigation. The accused is absconding and his whereabouts are not known so far. Efforts are being made to trace the absconder.

2. It is also reported that the amount of Rs.1204-77 nP. has been credited to the Bank of Mysore on 13/9/1957 by the father of the accused Sri Channabasavappa.

Yours faithfully,

J. V. 13/11

For Inspr.-Genl. of Police.

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The main file vide File No. PWD 218 BRP 57 has been moved up and submitted for order. The same has been received in O/S on 13-11-57. On receipt of it this will be put up for order.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

No. C.17/57
Encls:

OFFICE OF
the Inspector General of Police,
in Mysore, Bangalore.

Date 12 November 1957.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Govt. of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Sub:- Misappropriation of Govt. funds by Sri B.C. Sharnappa, Cashier of No. 9 Survey and Design division Thyavanige - Bhadra Reservoir Project.

Ref:- D.O. Letter No. PWD 218 BRP 57 dated 8.11.57 from Sri K.B. Murarappa, B.E., Under Secretary to Government, PWD Bangalore.

A report from the Dist. Superintendent of Police, Shimoga has already been called for and is awaited. He has also been reminded. Further report will follow as soon as his report is received.

Yours faithfully,

for Inspector General of Police.

Subject: C.455/57-8

Misappropriation of funds by Sri B.C. Sharanappa Ex-cashier, No.9 Survey & Designs Division, Bhadra Project, Tyavanige, Chennagiri Taluk.

PWD 218 IBR 57

COUNCIL NOTE.

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MYSORE GOVT. SECRETARIAT
No C.455/57-8
4 MAR 1958
G.A.D. (COUNCIL SECTION)

Shri B.C.Sharanappa was a cashier of No.9, Survey and Designs Division, Tyavanige, Chennagiri Taluk attached to the Bhadra Project. He wrote two letters dated 12-7-1957, one to the Chief Minister and the other to the Executive Engineer, Survey and Designs Division, stating that he had mis-appropriated Government funds up to Rs.1,200/-. He pleaded that he was defrauded by some contractor and stated that he would be committing suicide (by drowning) after writing those letters, ~~expressing concern at the pitiable conditions of his wife and child after his death.~~ It was reported by the Department that Shri Sharanappa left the headquarters on the evening of 9-7-1957, without handing over charge, but leaving the key of the cash chest on the table of the Accountant and since then his whereabouts were not known. The Executive Engineer, who was on tour, on his return to head-quarters found that a sum of Rs.1,204-77 was short in the cash balance and that a cheque drawn in favour of a contractor by name Shri Arjun Singh for Rs.4,341-44 nP. which had not been delivered to the party, was found missing. The Bank of Mysore, Davanagere was requested by the Executive Engineer to with-hold payment on this cheque, as it was not yet presented for encashment. The Executive Engineer, then reported the facts of the case to police authorities at Santhebennur for further action. The D.S.P., Shimoga addressed a letter to the Executive Engineer on 26-8-1957 intimating that Shri Sharanappa addressed a letter to his wife subsequent ~~had not committed suicide~~ and efforts were being made to trace the accused who was absconding. It was subsequently reported that the amount of Rs.1,204-77 misappropriated by Shri Sharanappa, had been remitted by Shri B.Channabasavappa, father of Shri Sharanappa, to the Bank of Mysore, Limited, Davanagere on 13-9-1957. Shri Channabasavappa (father of the accused) also submitted a petition to the Chief Minister requesting ~~to consider~~ to consider the case sympathetically and ~~pass orders to withdraw~~ to withdraw the case.

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The Chief Engineer also subsequently reported that the Superintending Engineer, Tungabhadra Valley Circle had recommended that the police case may be withdrawn and that departmental action may be taken against the official and suitable ~~arrangements meted~~ punishment meted out to him. The Chief Engineer was also of the opinion that as the loss to Government has since been made good and as the offender is a young man of about 30 years, the case may be viewed sympathetically. It was ~~decided~~ considered that the withdrawal of the case could be ~~considered, if at all~~ examined, if at all, only after obtaining the full information from the police department. It was ~~learnt~~ ascertained from the police authorities that a case in C.R.No.127-57-US-409-IPC ~~was~~ has been registered against Shri B.C.Sharanappa and ~~the case~~ was under investigation. At this stage, the Chief Minister was pleased to remark on the file as follows:

"It is evident that the man has committed the offence and deserves punishment. But the amount has been paid in full by the father of the official. The father told me that the official tried to commit suicide and is not to be traced and that he is afraid that the fellow has gone mad. There seem to be two alternatives open. One is to dismiss him from service and drop further investigation and be done with it or to proceed with the investigation, filing of charge sheet, enquiry etc. As no charge sheet has been placed, I would prefer the first alternative."

The Public Works Minister and the Home Minister agreed that the official may be dismissed from service might be dismissed from service, as further investigations might be stopped and the prosecution withdrawn, as suggested by the Chief Minister above. ~~But~~ The Law Department, who were consulted in the matter of withdrawing the case opined that the question of withdrawing the case with the permission of the Court ~~will~~ would arise only when a charge sheet is filed and not during the stage of investigation. Hence it was decided to wait till a final report is received from the police authorities. At this stage, the Chief Minister was pleased to direct that the question of withdrawing the case and dismissal of the official will have to be considered and if necessary ~~to place this~~ matter how before the Council for consideration. It was subsequently intimated by the I.G.P. that Shri B.C.Sharanappa (who was absconding from 9.7.57)

surrendered himself to the Court on 30-12-1957, and that the investigation of the case was completed and a charge sheet was placed in the Court of the Special First Class Magistrate, Shimoga, on 4-2-1958. It is also reported that the case has been taken on the file in C.C.No.488/58 and stands posted to 4-3-1958, for hearing.

The file was referred again to Law Department for their remarks, ~~xxxxxxx~~ regarding the withdrawal of the case. The Law Department have stated as follows:-

"There are no grounds of public policy nor reasons of State involved for withdrawing the case. There is also nothing to show that the witnesses are not prepared to speak the truth and the prosecution is likely to fail. On the other hand, the accused has admitted the guilt. The accused is stated to be 30 years. Even in his petition before the Chief Minister he has admitted having put in 10½ years of service. He can neither be said to be very young nor inexperienced. That his father has made good the amount can never be a sufficient justification for withdrawal of the case particularly, when the offence is one of misappropriation of Government money to the extent of nearly Rs.1,200/-. Dangerous precedent would be set up if payment of the amount misapproprated is considered to be a sufficient grou for withdrawal. In his letters dated 12_7-1957 he has stated t he would be committing suicide but he has actually surrendered to the Court on 30-12-1957. It will not be safe to take serious note of the accused's letters that he would commit suicide because in every such case of the commission of even a serious offence there might be such threats in the hope that they would induce the Government for withdrawing the case. The accused's father seems to have apprehended that the accused might have gon mad. There are no indications to that effect. The offence involved is a serious one and I do not think there are sufficien grounds for withdrawal. It is also doubtful if the Court would grant permission for withdrawal on such grounds as are all ged in this case. If there are any extenuating circumstances the Court would consider the same at the time of passing sentenc

The case is submitted to the Council for consideration under rule 9 (XXVII) of the Mysore Government Rules of business.

is the advice of the Law Department is accepted in favour of withdrawal of the case.

Secy to Govt. PWD.

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Dy. S. P.W.D.

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Council Case No. C...

Date ...

FOR CONSIDERATION AT
A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

Council Note circulated for information

Dy. Secy.
GAD.

Chief Minister,
All Ministers.

SECRET. PWD 218 BRP 57.

COUNCIL NOTE.

SUBJECT:- C.455/57-58.

Misappropriation of Funds by Sri B.C.Sharanappa, Ex-Cashier No.9, Survey and Designs Division, Bhadra Praject, Tyavanige, Ghennagiri Taluk.

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5) The case is submitted to the Council for consideration under rule 9(xxvii) of the Mysore Government Rules of Business, as the advice of the Law Department is not in favour of withdrawal of the case.

for (D.K.Srinivasachar),
Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

4.3.58

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

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MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT NO. 1745 28 FEB 1958 PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH

MYSORE GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT NO. 1845 4 MAR 1958 OFFICE OF PUBLIC WORKS, MAJOR IRRIGATION BRANCH

Office of the Inspr.-Genl. of Police, Mysore State, Bangalore-1.

Date 28 February 1958.

To

The Secretary to Government,
P.W.and Electrical Departments,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

SECRETARIAT TO GOVERNMENT NO 28 FEB 1958 PUBLIC WORKS & ELEC. DEPTT.

Sub:-Misappropriation of Government money by one Sharnappa.
Ref:-D.O.letter No.PA.12 dated 11-2-1958 from the Secretary to Government, P.W.and Electrical Departments.

With reference to the letter cited, I write to invite kind attention of the Government to this office letter of even number dated 14-2-1958 (copy enclosed) wherein it is stated that the investigation of the case was completed and the case was charge sheeted in the Court of Special First Class Magistrate, Shimoga, on 4-2-1958. The case was taken on the file and posted to 4-3-58 for hearing.

Further progress will be duly reported.

Yours faithfully,

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For Inspr.-Genl.of Police.

Letter No.C2-G-17-57 dated 14th February 1958 fr[redacted] Inspector General of Police, Mysore State, Bangalore, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works and Electrical Departments, Bangalore.

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MYSORE GOVERNMENT

SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form).

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Sub: Misappropriation
Govt funds by
B C Shivanappa
Cashier, No 9
Survey Division,
13 Rep
Sir, To the CE (HS) Bangalore
Ref: Your letter No 1871
/8 dt 11-10-57

STF

With reference to the
Communication cited regarding
the above subject I am
directed by Govt to state
that the prosecution
be withdrawn

Issued
17.3.58

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1) Copy to Home Dept
2) Copy to the S.A.D. Council
reference to the decision in the case
Subject No C 455 /55

Issued

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